

AN ORDINANCE 100162

RATIFYING THE RETENTION OF THE LAW FIRM OF DENTON, NAVARRO, ROCHA & BERNAL TO ASSIST THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO IN ITS ANNEXATION PROGRAM, AND NEGOTIATING AND DEFENDING AREA SERVICE PLANS AS PART OF THE CITY'S THREE YEAR ANNEXATION PLAN; AND AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$40,000.00 FOR SUCH SERVICES.

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WHEREAS, The City of San Antonio previously adopted a Three Year Annexation Plan that contemplates the annexation of various areas in the City's Extraterritorial Jurisdiction and representatives of several of those areas have requested the negotiation of service plans for their areas as provided by state statutes; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner's Court of Bexar County has appointed the representatives of those areas to negotiate on behalf of the residents and property owners but due to insufficient staffing within the City Attorney's Office, it is necessary to retain the services of Denton, Navarro, Rocha & Bernal to provide assistance with its annexation program; and

WHEREAS, the amount for said services is estimated to be \$40,000.00 to complete the negotiations and defense against a challenge in the District Court but additional fees would be owed if the firm provides additional services and appellate representation; **NOW THEREFORE**,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The retention of the law firm of Denton, Navarro, Rocha & Bernal to assist the City of San Antonio in its annexation program, and negotiating and defending area service plans as part of the City's Three Year Annexation plan is hereby ratified.

SECTION 2. Funds in the amount of \$40,000.00 are authorized to be encumbered in Cost Center 8002060001, General Ledger 5201040 entitled "Fees to Professional Contractors", Fund 11001000 entitled "General Fund" payable to Denton, Navarro, Rocha & Bernal when a purchase order is issued.

SECTION 3. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance, City of San Antonio. The Director of Finance may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager, the Interim City Manager or the designee of either, correct allocation to specific SAP Fund Numbers, SAP Project Definitions, SAP WBS Elements, SAP Internal Orders, SAP Fund Centers, SAP Cost Centers, SAP Functional Areas, SAP Funds Reservation Document Numbers, and SAP GL Accounts as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall be effective on December 26, 2004.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 16th day of December, 2004.




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EDWARD D. GARZA

ATTEST:


City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


City Attorney